



Undergraduate Education in the DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY

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Historians study the impact of time and change on human affairs. From this perspective, the curriculum of the History Department provides students an understanding of the past designed to foster a critical and humane approach to the complexities of the present. The department offers a comprehensive range of courses that explore the historical development of a broad spectrum of human societies and enhance students' appreciation of their own and other cultures. Our curriculum also emphasizes skills of critical thinking and writing that students will find indispensable as they pursue a variety of careers, including education, research, law, business, public affairs, and the service professions. History is a flexible major which combines well with a wide choice of minors. The Department offers courses leading to the degrees of Bachelor of Arts and Master of Arts as well as a minor.

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UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM

Major in History for the Bachelor of Arts Degree (36 cr. Hours)

Required Courses:

Two courses in European History: 6 cr.
HIST 111A World History: West to 1500 3 cr.
HIST 111 B World History: West, 1500- Present 3 cr.

Two courses from the following in United States History: 6 cr.
HIST 214 United States History, 1607-1877.....3 cr.
HIST 215 United States History, 1877-Present ..3 cr.

Two courses in non-European and non-United States History: 6 cr.
The courses can be taken *at any level* in the following areas; they are usually satisfied by:
HIST 111C World History: East Asia.3cr.
HIST 111D World History: Latin America. .3cr.
HIST 111E World History: Africa. 3 cr.

Six courses (18 cr.) chosen from 300-level electives in history with the approval of an advisor
Total 36 cr.

NOTE: Only one section of each of the following courses may apply to the major: HIST 390, HIST 393. History 391 and 392 may be repeated with varying topics. Students will be expected to keep a record of titles and names of instructors.

Students wishing to be certified for teaching history in secondary schools should consult the Secondary Education section of this catalog. Students seeking certification to teach United States history are required to complete 8 semester hours in U.S. history. They are also required to take a basic course in Economics. Consult the Secondary Education and Economics Departments for more information.

All history majors are required to establish an **Assessment Portfolio** with the departmental secretary before graduation. The purpose of this portfolio is solely to assess the effectiveness of the history curriculum in meeting the goals of the major. The portfolio will consist of either one research paper of at least 10 pages in length, or three theme papers of 3-5 pages in length (book reviews are not acceptable).

The paper(s) must have been written for course work in history at Northeastern. Although this portfolio will be assessed only for statistical purposes, students are nonetheless encouraged to submit their best work for evaluation. **STUDENTS ARE THEREFORE ADVISED TO KEEP COPIES OF ALL APPROPRIATE HISTORY PAPERS** (or they may deposit copies of their papers with the departmental secretary at the time such papers are handed back by their instructors).

AT LEAST Fifteen Credit Hours FOR THE MAJOR MUST BE TAKEN AT NORTHEASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY.

Additionally, all History Majors must take an officially designated **Writing Intensive Course** to fulfill University graduation requirements.

Minor in History (18 cr. hrs.)

Six history courses (18 credit hours) of which a minimum of nine credit hours must be earned at the 300-level, chosen in consultation with a departmental advisor.

Students in the Elementary Education and Early Childhood Education programs who have selected this minor must complete a minimum of 9 hours at the 300-level to meet graduation and certification requirements.

AT LEAST Nine Credit Hours FOR THE MINOR MUST BE TAKEN AT NORTHEASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY.



ACADEMIC COURSE RECORD FORM - - HISTORY DEPARTMENT

Name _____ Student ID# _____

Expected Grad. Date: _____ Circle One: Major / Minor

History Department Requirements:	How was requirement satisfied?		Where was course taken?		Advisor's Initials	Grade*
	Course number & title	Credit Hours	NEIU	Other		
Six hours European History:						
	1.	Hist 111A World Hist: West to 1500				
	2.	Hist 111B World Hist: West, 1500 – Present				
Six hours U.S. History:						
	1.	Hist 214 U.S. History to 1877				
	2.	Hist 215 U.S. History 1877 – Present				
Six hours non-European, non-U.S. - taken at any level:						
	1.					
	2.					
Eighteen hours 300 level history courses:						
History Minors need 18 hours total, 9 at the 300 level. History/ Secondary Education students should take an American History course at the 300 level in addition to History 214/215	1.					
	2.					
	3.					
	4.					
	5.					
	6.					
Total Credit Hours:				<i>*Grade of "IP" indicates course in progress</i>		
Additional Requirements for History Majors:						
Writing Intensive Requirement completed: _____ Indicate which of above courses fulfilled the requirement: _____						
Assessment Portfolio Submitted: _____ A research paper of 10 pages or 3 theme papers 3-5 pages in length: no book reviews. Paper(s) should be graded copies from NEIU History courses. Please see NEIU catalog/History requirements for further instructions.						

Total Hours Required for Major: 36 Total Hours Required for Minor: 18

Advisor's Signature

Date

